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PROCESSING ACTIVITY MASKING IN A DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM

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June 14, 2005

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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment 10 minus highest number \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$ x \$50.00 20 (at least 20) =previously paid for 2 Independent claims after amendment minus highest number \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$ previously paid for x \$200.00 (at least 3) =If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add \$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) paper and attachment(s) Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254/\$795.00 (2254) Five Month Extensions \$2160.00 (1255/\$1080.00 (2255) \$ \$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) \$ Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith 0.00 \$180.00 (1806) Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$40.00 (8021) \$ 0.00 Assignment Recording Fee \$ 0.00 Other: **TOTAL FEE \$** 0.00 CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM ATTACHED.

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is responsive to the Official Action mailed January 17, 2007 (Paper No. 20061228), the date of response to which is April 17, 2007.